Issue of exchange permit by RBI, Calcutta to Shipping Companies

257. PROF. SOURENDRA BHATTACHARJEE: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Reserve Bank of India, Calcutta has been issuing exchange permits frequently on demand to various shipping companies both foreign and domestic;

(b) whether during the past two years few of such companies have violated exchange rules;

(c) the details of permit given to each of the companies during the period in which foreign share holdings are there and are located in Calcutta; and

(d) what action is proposed to be taken against all those firms which have misused the exchange permits issued by RBI?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI RAMESHWAR THAKUR: (a) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Vacancies of teachers in schools of Delhi Administration

258. MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of vacancies of teachers in the schools of Delhi Administration at present in different subjects and categories;

(b) the time since when the posts of teachers are lying vacant; and

(c) what steps have been taken or are being taken by Government to fill up the vacancies?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) to (c) In so far as the schools run by the Delhi Administration (Directorate of Education) are concerned, the following posts are vacant:—

Principals	68
Vice-Principals	60
PGT	240
TGT and equivalent	1450

As regards filling up of these posts, a competitive written test for recruitment of PGT, TGT and PST was held in March/April, 1991 and the results in respect of PGT and TGT have been declared. Delhi Administration has also issued orders for promotion in respect of 57 vacancies of Principals on an ad-hoc basis while the requisition for filling up the remaining posts of Principals under direct recruitment quota has been sent to the UPSC.

Direct purchase of medicines for CGHE Unani Dispensary beneficiaries

259. SHRI MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in the event of non-availability of any medicine in CGHS allopathic dispensaries, the same is indented from Super Bazar/local chemists and supplied to the beneficiaries in 2-3 days and that in case of emergency, authority slip is given to the beneficiary to procure the medicine from Super Bazar/local chemist without any payment;

(b) if so, whether such arrangement exist in CGHS Unani dispensaries also; and

(c) if so the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. D. K. THARA DEVI SIDDHARTHA): (a) Yes Sir.

(b) to (c) In case of Unani System of medicines all non-available items are procured from M/s. Hamdard Dawakhana by the Physician Incharge, Unani Store against individual prescription from the imprest money provided to him as no Local Chemist on the pattern of the Allo-